IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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v. * CR. NO. 05-170-01(RJL)

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CLIFTON RAY GORHAM

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Defendants. *

CONSENT MOTION FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF DEFENDANT'S MENTAL HEALTH RECORDS

Counsel for Defendant Clifton Gorham, Joanne Roney Hepworth, hereby moves this Honorable Court to authorize the District of Columbia Department of Mental Health's Custodian of Records for Saint Elizabeth's Hospital to release and deliver any and all records of Clifton Ray Gorham in their possession to his counsel forthwith. In support of the motion counsel states as follows:

- 1. The defendant's records are needed for his competency evaluation and hearing.
- The DC Department of Mental Health's Custodian of Records for Saint Elizabeth's Hospital will provide such records with an order from the Court.
- 3. The Government consents to this request.

WHEREFORE, for reasons stated above and any appearing to the Court, counsel requests that the Court sign the attached Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing motion was served on all parties
electronically on this 6 th day of September, 2007.

Joanne Roney Hepworth